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SUBJECT : LAW OF THE SEA-SIT REP JUNE 7

1. THE COMMITTEE I WORKING GROUP CONCLUDED DISCUSSION OF EVENSEN'S COMPROMISE TEXT JUNE 7. THE DEBATE DEALT WITH REVIEW CONFERENCE PROVISIONS. MEANWHILE EVENSEN DISTRIBUTED A REVISED TEXT OF ART 9 (RESOURCE POLICY), ART 22, 23 AND ANNEX I PARA 8 (SYSTEM OF EXPLOITATION). THE G-77 PLANNED TO CAUCUS JUNE 8 TO DETERMINE ITS POSITION ON THE NEW EVENSEN TEXT, WHICH IN GENERAL CONTAIN ONLY MINOR CHANGES FROM THE EARLIER VERSION INTRODUCED AT THE OUTSET OF THE CONFERENCE.

2. IN THE DISCUSSION ON REVIEW, G-77 DELEGATES UNIFORMLY CRITICIZED THE EVENSEN TEXT (ART 65) FRO PRESUMING THAT THE PARALLEL SYSTEM WOULD BE UNDER REVIEW 20 YEARS FROM NOW. ZAIRE, IN ITS FIRST INTERVENTION OF CONFERENCE, SUP-
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PORTED THE VIEW THAT A UNITARY SYSTEM SHOULD BE ADOPTED ON A PERMANENT BASIS WITH PROVISION FOR REVIEW AFTER 20 YEARS.

3. THE US (RICHARDSON) REITERATED MISGIVINGS EXPRESSED BY THE FRG AND UK ABOUT THE CONCEPT OF A 5 YEAR INTERIM "REVIEW" (ART 64). RICHARDSON SUGGESTED LANGUAGE TO INSURE THAT THIS INTERIM REVIEW PROVISION WOULD GRANT NO

NEW POWER TO THE AUTHORITY. ON ART 65, DEALING WITH THE
20 YEAR COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW, RICHARDSON DIFFERED WITH THE
VIEW THAT THE CONVENTION COULD BE AMENDED WITHOUT REQUIR-
ING RAITIFICATION BY MEMBER STATES. FOR THE US, REVIEW
CONFERENCE AMENDMENTS THAT ALTERED THE SYSTEM OF
EXPLOITATION WOULD REQUIRE RATIFICATION. HE SUGGESTED
LANGUAGE CALLING FOR THE REVIEW CONFERENCE TO "DETERMINE
THE SYSTEM OF VOTING, RATIFICATION AND ENTRY INTO FORCE
PROCEDURES...TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE CONSTITUTIONAL
REQUIREMENTS OF STATES..." (TEXT OF US TALKING POINTS
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